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# FIGHT FOR FREE SUGAR

WASHINGTON, November 16.—Why the cane growers did not start Consumers of sugar in the United States were particularly interested in the hearing today before the Ways and Means Committee of the House of Representatives for the presentation of arguments on the sugar tariff. The fight for the free entry of sugar was made on the claim that the consumer does not get any benefit from the present duty. It also was maintained by those who oppose the so-called "Sugar Trust" that the present rate of duty on raw sugar no longer is required for protecting the American sugar-growers, on the ground that sugar is raised in this country as cheaply as abroad. The United States consumes about 3,000,000 tons of sugar annually; it produced 1,532,954 tons last year, including the output of the Philippine Islands, which enjoy a preferential rate of 25 per cent. less than the duty provided by the Dingley tariff law, which has the benefit of a 20 per cent. reduction in the established rate of duty on sugar, in accordance with the provisions of the reciprocal treaty, and produce about as much sugar as the United States.

The Hawaiian reciprocity treaty of January 30, 1875, provided for the entry free of duty of sugar from the Hawaiian Islands, and those in favor of free trade with the Philippines argue that the same privileges which were extended to the Hawaiians should be granted to the Philippines.

### STATEMENT BY CHAIRMAN PAYNE.

Before the hearing began today Chairman Payne said: "Despite the criticism and prophecies in the press to the effect that the committee has already made up its mind with regard to the revision of the tariff, I will say that this committee will stand on the facts brought out at these hearings and will welcome any fact from any individual citizen, whether they favor lower duty or higher duty, or even free trade on some articles."

That the steel, coal, and lumber interests will make a stubborn fight against the reduction of the tariff on these products was stated today by Senator Elkins of West Virginia, as he was leaving the White House after a short call upon President Roosevelt. "There's going to be a fight on coal and lumber rates," said the Senator. "West Virginia, which produces a large amount of these products, is entirely satisfied with the existing rates and will put up a contest before she permits them to be changed."

If Canada manifests a willingness to reduce her duty on coal, the Senator said, an agreement might be reached easily for the reduction of the tariff on coal into the United States. He added that West Virginia was very much interested in the protection of the steel industry.

Mr. Elkins said it would be unfair to the country to attempt to revise the tariff at the coming session of Congress. WASHINGTON, November 16.—At today's hearing before the Ways and Means Committee, D. D. Colcock, who represented the cane-sugar growers of Louisiana, was the first witness. He asserted that the Sugar Trust's control of sugar was so complete that it not only dictated the price at which jobbers and retailers should sell, but also arbitrarily fixed the price at which sugar was to be bought from the growers. The growers, he said, had the alternative of accepting the price or letting their sugar rot.

Mr. Colcock said that a reduction of the tariff on sugar would cause widespread industrial disaster. He was opposed, he said, to a reduction of the duty on sugar imported from the Philippines for the same reason. Mr. Colcock inveighed against the Refining Trust, which, he said, controls prices and in many other ways does not accord fair treatment to the producers.

Mr. Boutell—"You say the methods of the American Sugar Refining Company in dealing with the growers are damnable?"

Mr. Colcock—"All members of the Exchange would say so."

Mr. Boutell—"Why do you submit to it?"

Mr. Colcock—"We are unable to do better."

Mr. Boutell's cross-examination was interrupted by Mr. Clark, who asked

why the cane growers did not start refineries.

"We are afraid," replied the witness, "because the American Sugar Refining Company would undersell us in our markets."

"Does the American Sugar Refining Company dictate the price that the jobbers shall pay for their sugar?" asked Mr. Boutell.

"It not only dictates the price the jobbers shall pay, but also the price at which the jobbers shall sell to the trade," was the reply.

Chairman Payne wanted to know if Mr. Colcock could suggest any amendment to the Tariff law that "would help you get a fair price on your sugar?"

"I'm afraid I cannot," was the reply.

### MR. OXNARD FOR INCREASE.

Mr. Oxnard, the second witness, had to answer a fire of questions from the committee. He gave half-a-dozen reasons why the tariff on sugar should be increased if there is to be any modification of the sugar schedule. Sugar is so situated, he said, that it should be treated with exceptional favor. The per capita consumption of sugar is increasing, showing, in the opinion of the witness, that the public regards the price of sugar as reasonable. The government's need of revenue, the desirability that the home market shall be developed, and that American cane and beet growers shall be encouraged, were other reasons suggested by Mr. Oxnard why the sugar duty should be retained.

Mr. Oxnard asserted that the beet-sugar industry is lagging, and pointed out that there are no more beet-sugar factories than two years ago. The witness said that the uncertainty about the Philippines tariff retarded the growth of his industry.

Champ Clark interrupted to say that it had been apparent to everybody, since the Senate sat down so hard on the Philippines tariff-reduction bill, that there would be no legislation to reduce the sugar duty from our insular possessions. Under these circumstances, Mr. Clark did not see why many new factories had not been built in this country.

### WANT POLICY SETTLED DOWN.

Representative Fordney came to the aid of the witness with the statement that capital is timid while agitation is going on at either end of the Capitol.

Mr. Payne said he thought this country's tariff policy toward the Philippines should be settled one way or the other.

Mr. Oxnard agreed with the chairman. "What our industry needs is certainty and an assurance that it will be let alone," he said. "The admission of sugar at reduced rates from Cuba, Porto Rico, and the Philippines is a staggering blow, and the question as to what shall ultimately be the settled policy of the United States should be determined promptly."

Mr. Oxnard said there is an investment of \$50,000,000 in the beet-sugar industry, covering fifteen States. Average return on the actual investment does not exceed 6 per cent., far too low, the witness said, to permit capital to develop a new industry. There was no water in the stock of the American Beet Sugar Company, Mr. Oxnard said.

Mr. Underwood—Has the American Sugar Refining Company any interest in your company?

Mr. Oxnard—None that I know of.

Mr. Underwood—Is there any agreement between your company and the refining company to fix prices?

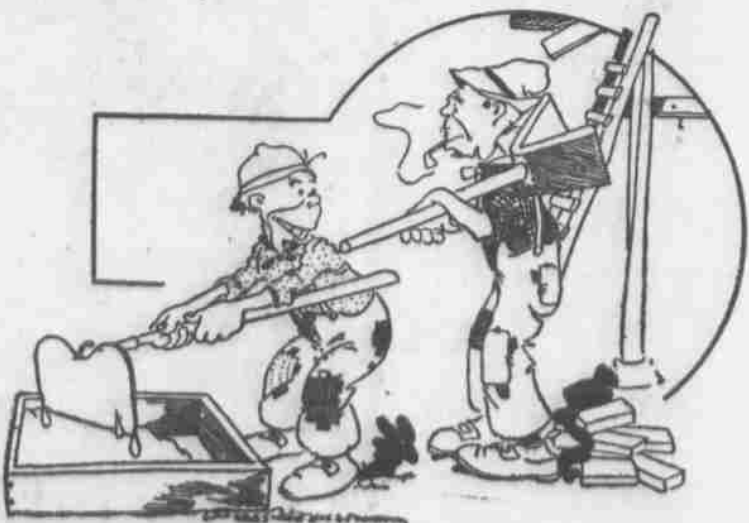
Mr. Oxnard—Absolutely none.

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